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Ramon Laureano-Burgos Pleads Guilty to Sexual Abuse of Two Children

Rochester, NY- Today, Monroe County District Attorney Sandra Doorley announced that Ramon Laureano-Burgos, 29, of Rochester has pled guilty to charges stemming from an incident involving two children in June of last year. On June 22, 2012, Laureano-Burgos is accused of luring a 10 year old girl into his residence on Bartlett Street, where he sexually fondled and exposed himself to her. Following the incident, the young girl, acting with tremendous composure, crossed the street to a relative's house and immediately called 911. Laureano-Burgos fled the residence, but was apprehended at a Motel 6 the following morning. The subsequent investigation revealed that the defendant had also molested his girlfriend's daughter, also ten.

Ramon Laureano-Burgos is convicted of one (1) count of Criminal Sex Acts in the 1st Degree, and one (1) count of Sexual Abuse in the 1st Degree. The case was prosecuted for the people by Assistant DA Laura Vanderbrook of the Monroe County District Attorney's Office Child Abuse Bureau.

"Despite the training and education that we try to give children regarding sexual predators, the experience of being assaulted is so devastatingly traumatic to the child that crimes like these often go unreported," said Monroe County District Attorney Sandra Doorley. "The poise that this child maintained following such a horrible incident was simply amazing, and most importantly, her actions have ensured that a sexual predator will no longer be able to harm the most vulnerable members of our community again. She demonstrated courage and maturity beyond her years, and we owe her debt of gratitude."

Ramon Laureano-Burgos will be sentenced to 10 years in prison with 15 years post release supervision, in addition to having to register as a sex offender. He will be formally sentenced on February 11th before Judge Renzi.